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SUBJECT: LITHUANIAN HIJACKERS

REF STATE 120678

1. WE KNOW OF NO SOVIET REQUEST FOR EXTRADITION OF BRAZINSKASES. IF REQUEST WERE MADE, A FACTOR IN THEIR FAVOR WOULD BE THAT CASE AGAINST THEM WAS DISMISSED UNDER GENERAL AMNESTY. GOVT HAS CHANGED SINCE BRAZINSKASES' ARREST, AND CURRENT GOVT HAS GIVEN NO INDICATION IF ITS ATTITUDE TOWARD HANDLING OF AIRLINE HIJACKING CASES. HOWEVER, TO RETURN HIJACKERS TO USSR WOULD NO DOUBT SUBJECT GOVT TO HEAVY DOMESTIC CRITICISM. THUS MIGHT BE BEST FOR ALL CONCERNED IF BRAZINSKASES' DEPARTURE FROM TURKEY COULD BE EXPEDITED.

2. WE HAVE NO RELIABLE INFO ON PROTECTION GOT GIVING TO BRAZINSKASES. EMB MOSCOW MAY WISH TO COMMENT ON LIKELIHOOD THAT SOVIETS WOULD RISK POLITICAL COSTS OF KIDNAPPING BRAZINSKASES FROM TURKEY. SEEMS TO US THAT STRONGER LIKELIHOOD MIGHT BE SOME SUCH RUSE AS THAT MENTIONED IN STATE 110277.
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